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In re Application of John BLAIR et al. Group Art Unit: 3621  
Serial No.: 09/922,337 Examiner: John M. WINTER  
Filed: August 3, 2001  
For: MESSAGE DELIVERY SYSTEM BILLING METHOD AND APPARATUS

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application in response to office action dated June 13, 2005. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Independent Claims	3	Minus	*4	= 0	X \$200.00	\$0
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim					X \$360.00	\$0
Total						\$0

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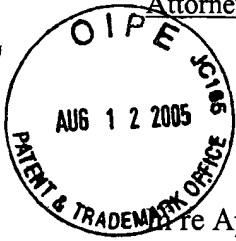
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1. ☒ Response to Restriction Requirement Mailed June 13, 2005.
2. ☒ Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2005 for a one-month extension of time
3. ☒ A check in the amount of \$120 is attached.
4. ☒ Please charge any additional fees, including any fees necessary for extensions of time, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-0822. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

Dated: August 10, 2005

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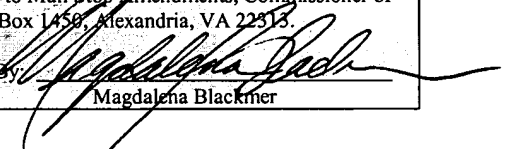
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## AMENDMENT

Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the restriction requirement asserted in an Office Action mailed June 13, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** being on page 10 of this paper.